## SUGAR TRUST RISING

### The Shares in Demand, the Price Climbing as High as 103.

### Alton & Terre Haute Advance Nine Points, Closing at 33-Indianapolis 'Change Deserted.

At New York, yesterday, money on call

was easy at 1 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 2% 95 per cent. Sterling exchange was firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.88\\@4.88\ for demand and \$4.87@4.87% for sixty days; posted rates, \$4.88@4.88%; commercial bills,

\$4.861/4/04.861/2. Sliver certificates, 64c. Bar silver closed @1.30; peas, marrowfat, \$1.10@1.20; early at 63%c per ounce; at London, 29%d. Total sales of stocks amounted to 182,600 shares. The speculative interest on the @1.10. Stock Exchange was largely centered in Sugar yesterday, with the granger stocks and Chicago Gas shares following next, Outside of these shares, with perhaps the single exception of Distilling, which made a small show in the transactions, the trading was exceptionally dull. Sugar touched 103, the highest point reached in many months, which was an advance of 3 per cent. on yesterday's closing price. The old story of increased protection for the refining interests was the motive of the rise and the buying was very heavy, being presumably for the same people who have been builing the stock during the past few days. Some of the traders who had bought stock below par began to realize profits at the high figure, bringing about a reaction of 2 per cent., of which 1/4 was recovered in the final dealings, leaving an advance of 1% on the day. Sugar opened 1% higher, but subsequently lost all but 1/4 of the advance. St. Paul was sold by London at the opening and the selling movement was given an increased force by the local traders, but the stock only gave way % in all, and recovered 14 of this. Rock Island was also attacked, receding % and rallying 14. Northwest fell off 1/2 and recovered 1/4. the preferred declining 11/8. Chicago Gas took an upward turn during the first hour and a half on buying by traders, with some orders from Chicago, advancing 14. The

reacted to 32, making an advance on the day of 7 per cent. In the railway bond market a firm tone prevailed during the morning and early afternoon, but in the late trading a slightly heavier feeling was apporent and the close was a shade weak. Peorla, Decatur & Evansville declined 1 per cent. Advances: Illinois Central three-and-one-halfs, 314; Louisville & Nashville, 2; Kansas Pacific sixes of '96, 1%; Ohio Southern fours, 1; Erie collateral trust sixes sold at 105% against 110 on Jan. 4. Government bonds were firm. State bonds were inactive. The following table, prepared by James E. Berry, Room 16, Board of Trade, shows the range of quotations:

higher figures brought out some long stock,

causing a reaction of 1 per cent., with a final rally of 1/8. The general market moved

very cautiously during the day, very few stocks fluctuating outside of a fractional

limit. No special weakness was developed

but the tone of the speculation at the close

was rather heavy. Cordage preferred

gained 3 per cent., and at last lost it. Al-

ton & Terre Haute, the last sale of which

before to-day was at 26, sold up to 35, and

Name.	sauge of quotactons	Open-	High-	Low-	Clos-	
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National Cord., pref	Adams Express				150	В
National Cord., pref	Alton & Terre Hau	te	****		32	Е
National Cord., pref	Alton & T. H., pr	ef	****		*150	В
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National Cord., pref	Atchison	141/4	14%	13%	14	
National Cord., pref	Canada Pacific		****	****	751/2	П
National Cord., pref	Canada Southern	*** ****	***	****	5016	В
National Cord., pref	Central Pacific	*** ****	****	****	2014	Н
National Cord., pref	Chesapeake & Ohio	0 1834	1834	1814	1814	П
National Cord., pref	Chicago & Alton				138	
National Cord., pref	C., B. & Q	79%	79%	7854	78%	П
National Cord., pref	C. & E. I., pref	*** ****	****		94	
National Cord., pref	Chicago Gas	*** 6379	64%	631/2	633%	Е
National Cord., pref	Cotton Oll	2017	3112	341/2	371/2	
National Cord., pref	Delaware & Hudson	1.40	140	190	120	
National Cord., pref	D. L & W.	16114	16114	16114	16114	П
National Cord., pref	Dis. & C. F. Co	2514	2514	25	2516	
National Cord., pref	Edison Gen. Elec	381/2	3938	381/4	383%	
National Cord., pref	Erie	15%	16	15%	16	
National Cord., pref	Erie, pref	*** ****	****		33	Е
National Cord., pref	Great Northern pr		****	****	153	
National Cord., pref	Hocking Valley	103/	1737	172	10/±	Г
National Cord., pref	Illinois Central	*** 19.74	74.77	14.54	93	
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National Cord., pref	Lead Trust	381/2	381/2	37%	38	П
National Cord., pref	Dead Trust, pref	84	84	83%	81	ı
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Decrease... 5.9 Indianapolis ...... 3,140,413 Decrease .. 38,9 Columbus, O...... 3,132,800 Decrease..13,9 Total clearings in the United States the past week amounted to \$858,568,059, being a decrease of 206 per cent. Total outside of New York, \$398,884,947,

decrease of 19.6 per cent.

#### LOCAL GRAIN AND PRODUCE. Trade a Little Off Yesterday with

Steady Prices Prevailing. On the wholesale streets and on Commission row trade was more quiet yesterday than on the preceding four days. Steady prices prevailed. The changes in values the last week have been few. Poultry and eggs are steady and in better request. The demand for Irish potatoes is still large. Strawberries are arriving in larger quantities and prices are easier. Pineapples were salling yesterday at \$1 a dozen, the market being overstocked. New tomatoes are in better supply, but really choice stock will bring \$2.50 per crate. In dry goods firmer prices are reported in some lines. Druggists are having a good trade in paints and olls, and the he dware men report trade improving, but not by any means what it was at the corresponding period in 1893. The local grain market yesterday struck its old sad gait again. Few traders were on 'Change and the bidding was tame. Track bids ruled as follows: Wheat-No. 2 red, 54c; No. 3 red, 51/2c; rejected, 40@50c; wagon wheat, 54c. Corn-No. 1 white, 404ac; No. 2 white, 4014c; No. 3 white, 4014c for one color, 4014c for grade; No. 4 white, 37c; No. 2 white mixed, 46c; No. 3 white mixed, 39%c; No. 4 white mixed, 37c; No. 2 yellow, 40c; No. 3 yellow, 3914c; No. 4 yellow, 37c; No. 2 mixed, 2914c; No. 4 mixed, 37c; ear corn, 43c. Oats-No. 2 white, 3614c; No. 3 white, 3514c; No. 2 mixed, 3474c; No. 3 mixed, 3314c; rejected, 32c.

Hay-Choice timothy, \$11.50; No. 1, \$10.75; No. 2, \$9; No. 1 prairie, \$6.50; mixed, \$8; clover, \$787.50 per ton.

Rye-No. 2, 52e for car lots; 45c for wagon

#### Poultry and Other Produce. (Prices Paid by Shippers.)

Bran, 312.

Poultry -Hens, 6c per lb; spring chickens, 1894, 120 15c; turkeys, old toms, 3c per lb; nens, 7c per pound; ducks, 6c per lb; geese, \$4.20074.80 per doz for choice. Eggs-Shippers paying 8120

Butter-Extra, 10c; mixed, 6@8c. Feathers-Prime geese, 40c per lb; mixed

washed, 14c; coarse or braid wool, 13@14c; fine merino, 6@10c; burry or cotted wool,

HIDES, TALLOW, ETC. Tallow-No. 1 tallow, 4½c; No. 2 yellow, Grease-White, 41/2c; yellow, 31/2c; brown,

Bones—Dry, \$12@13 per ton.

Hides—No. 1 green hides, 2½c; No. 1 G.
S. hides, 3½c; No. 2 G. S. hides, 2½c; No. 1 calf hides, 5c; No. 2 calf hides, 3½c. THE JOBBING TRADE.

## (The quotations given below are the selling prices of wholesale dealers.)

Canned Goods.

Peaches - Standard 3-pound, \$1.85@2; 3pound seconds, \$1.65@1.70; 3-pound pie, \$1.15 @1.20; California standard, \$2.25@2.50; Cali-Miscellaneousfornia seconds, \$1.85@2. Blackberries, 2-pound, 90@95c; raspberries, 2-pound, \$1.20@1.25; pineapple, standard, 2-pound, \$1.25@1.35; choice, \$2@2.25; cove oysters, 1-pound full weight, 90@95c; light, 65@70c; 2-pound full, \$1.80@1.90; light, \$1.10@ 1.20; string beans, 85@35c; Lima beans, \$1.10 June, \$1.25@1.50; lobsters, \$1.85@2; red cherries, \$1.20@1.25; strawberries, \$1.20@1.30; salmon (lbs), \$1.45@2.20; 3-pound tomatoes, \$1.05

#### Candles and Nuts.

Candles-Stick, 64c per lb; common mixed %c; G. A. R. mixed, 7%c; Banner mixed, 0c; cream mixed, 10c; old-time mixed, 71/2c Nuts-Soft-shelled almonds, 18c; English walnuts, 15c; Brazil nuts, 12c; filberts, 11c; peanuts, roasted, 768c; mixed nuts, 14c.

Coal and Coke. Anthracite coal, all sizes, \$7.50 per ton; Pittsburg and Raymond City, \$4.25 per ton; Jackson, \$4.25; block, \$3.25; Island City, \$3; Blossburg and English cannel, \$5. All nut coals 50c below above quotations. Coke—Connellsville, \$3.75 per load; crushed, \$3.25 per load; lump, \$3 per load.

Dried Fruits. Figs-Layer, 14@15c per lb. Peaches-Common sun-dried, 8@10c per : California, 14@15c; California fancy, 15

Apricots-Evaporated, 16@18c. Prunes-California, 7@12c per lb. Currants-31/2/24c per lb.

Raisins-Loose Muscatel, \$1.10@1.25 per box; London layer, \$1.25@1.25 per box; Valencia, 868% per lb; layer, 9610c. Drugs. Alcohol, \$2.20@2.40; asafetida, 40c; alum, 4/45c; camphor, 60/65c; cochineal, 50/455c chloroform, 60@65c; copperas, bris, 85c@\$1; licorice, Calab., genuine, 30@40c; magnesia,

cream tartar, pure, 25@28c; indigo, 65@80c; carb., 2-oz, 25@35c; morphine, P. & W., per oz, \$2.45; madder, 16@18c; oil, castor, per gal, \$1.28@1.30; oil, beragmot, per lb, \$3.25; opium, \$3.25; quinine, P. & W., per oz, 35@ 40c; balsam copaiba, 60@65c; soap, castile, Fr., 12@16c; soda, bicarb., 4½@6c; som, 4@5c; sulphur, flour, 5@6c; saltpeter, 8@20c; turpentine, 36@40c; glycerine, 14@20c; iodide potassium, \$3@3.10; bromide potassium, 40@45c; chlorate potash, 20c; borax, 12@14c; einchonida. 12@15c; carbolic acid,

Olls-Linseed, 51@54c per gal; coal oil, legal test, 7@14c; bank, 40c; best straits, 50c; Labrador, 60c; West Virginia lubricating, 20@30c; miners', 45c. Lard oils-Winter strained in barrels, 75c per gal; in half barrels, 3c per gal extra.

Dry Goods. Bleached Sheetings-Androscoggin, L 6c; Bleached Sheetings—Androscoggin, L. C., Berkeley, No. 60, 8c; Cabot, 6½c; Capital, 5½c; Cumberland, 6¾c; Dwight Anchor, 7¾c; Fruit of Loom, 7½c; Farwell, 7c; Fitchville, 6½c; Full Width, 5½c; Gilt Edge, 5½c; Gilded Age, 7c; Hill, 7c; Hope, 6½c; Linwood, 7½c; Lonsdale, 7½c; Lonsdale, Cambric, 10c; Masonville, 7½c; Peabody, 5½c; Pride of the Wort 11½c; Puppe 11½c; 5%c; Pride of the West, 11%c; Quinebaugh, 6%c; Star of the Nation, 6c; Ten Strike, 5½c; Pepperell, 9 ,4-18c; Pepperell, 10-4, 20c; Androscoggin, 9-4, 201/2c; Androscoggin, 10-4,

Brown Sheetings—Atlantic A, 6½c; Argyle, 5½c; Boott C, 4%c; Buck's Head, 6c; Clifton CCC, 5½c; Constitution, 40-inch, 7½c; Carlisle, 40-inch, 7c; Dwight Star, 7½c; Great Falls E, 6c; Great Falls J, 5c; Hilli Fine, 7c; Indian Head, 6½c; Lawrence LL, 4½c; Lockwood B, 5½c; Pepperell R, 5‰c; Pepperell E, 6½c; Pepperell, 9-4, 16c; Pepperell 10-4 perell, 10-4, 18c; Androscoggin, 9-4, 181/2c; Androscoggin, 10-4, 201/2c. Prints-Allen dress styles, 4%c; Allen's staples, 4%c; Allen TR, 5c; Allen robes, 14c; American Indigo, 4/2c; Arnold LLC, 14c; Arnold LCB, 8/4c; Arnold Gold Seal, 14c; Cocheco fancy, 5c; Cocheco mad-4%c; Hamilton fancy, 5%c; Manchester fancy, 5½c; Merrimac fancy, 5½c; Merrimac pinks and purples, 6c; Pacific fancy, 1/2c; Pacific robes, 6c; Pacific mourning,

c; Simpson Eddystone, 51/2c; Simpson Ber-

lin solids, 51/2e; Simpson's oil finish, 6e;

Simpson's grays, 51/2c; Simpson's mourn-

Ginghams—Amoskeag staples, 5½c; Amoskeag Persian Dress, 6½c; Bates Warwick Dress, 6½c; Johnson BF Francis, 8½c; Lancaster, 54c; Lancaster Normandies, 64c; Carrolton, 44c; Renfrew Dress, 74c; Whittenton Heather, 62c; Calcutta Dress styles, Kidfinished Cambrics-Edwards, 4c; Warren, 3%c; Slater, 3%c; Genesee, 3%c. Tickings-Amoskeag, ACA, 12c; Conestoga, BF, 13c; Cordis, 140, 131/2c; Cordis, FT, 121/2c; Cordis, ACE, 121/2c; Hamilton,

awning, 10c; Kimono Fancy, 17c; Lenox Fancy, 18c; Methuen, AA, 12c; Oakland, AF, 6c; Portsmouth, 11c; Susquehanna, Shetucket SW, 71/2c; Shetucket F, 8c; Grain Bags-Amoskeag. \$13.50; American, \$13.50; Franklinville, \$16.50; Harmony, \$13.50; Stark, \$17.50. Sugars - Hard sugars, 41/65%c; confectioners' A. 4%@4%c; off A, 4%@4%c; A, 4% @4%c; extra C, 3%@4%c; yellow C, 3%@ dark yellow, 3%@3%c.

Coffee-Good, 201/g21c; prime, 22@23c strictly prime, 24@26c; fancy green and yellow, 26@27c; ordinary Java, 29@30c; old government Java, 32@33c; roasted, 1-pound Molasses and Syrups-New Orleans molasses, fair to prime, 30@40c; choice, 40@ 45c; syrups, 20@25c. Spices-Pepper, 16@18c; allspice, 12@15c; cloves, 20@25c; cassla, 10@12c; nutmegs, 70@ Rice-Louisiana, 41/2051/2c; Carolina, 43/4@ Honey-New York stock, 1-pound sec-Beans-Choice hand-picked navy, \$262.10 imas, California, 4c per lb. Salt—In car lots, 90@95c; small lots, \$1@

Shot-\$1.15@1.20 per bag for drop. Lead-64-67 for pressed bars. Twine-Hemp, 12@18c per lb; wool, 8@10c; flax. 20@30c; paper, 15c; jute, 12@15c; cotton, Wooden Dishes-No. 1, per 1,000, \$2.20; No. 2, \$2.50; No. 3, \$2.80; No. 5, \$3.50. Flour Sacks (paper)—Plain, 1-32 brl, per 1,000, \$3.50; 1-16 brl, \$5; 36 brl, \$8; 46 brl, \$16; No. 2 drab, plain, 1-32 brl, per 1,000, \$4.25; 1-16 \$6.50; 46, \$10; 46, \$20; No. 1 cream, plain, 1-32, per 1,000, \$7; 1-16, \$8.75; 46, \$14.50; 46. \$28.50. Extra charge for printing. Woodenware-No. 1 tubs, \$6.50@7; No. tubs, \$5.50@6; No. 3 tubs, \$4.50@5; pails, \$1.60@1.65; 2-hoop pails, \$1.35@1.40; double washboards, \$2.25@2.75; common washboards, \$1.50@1.85; clothes pins, 50@85c

Iron and Steel. Bar iron, 1.50@1.60c; horseshoe bar, 2%@ de; nail rod, 6e; plow slabs, 3e; American cast steel, Sc; tire steel, 2%@3c; spring steel,

Flour Straight grades, \$2.50@2.75; fancy grades, 2.75@3; patent flour, \$3.25@3.75; low grades,

Leather-Oak sole, 28@38c; hemlock sole, 22028c; harness, 25038c; skirting, 31032c; single strap, 41c; black bridle, per doz, \$60 495; fair bridle, \$60@78 per doz; city kip, 55@75c; French kip, 85c@\$1.10; city calfskins, 85c@\$1: French calfskins, \$1@1.80.

Nails and Horseshoes. Steel cut nails, \$1.25; wire nails, \$1.25 rates; norseshoes, per keg, \$3.75; mule shoes, per keg, \$4.75; horse nails, \$4665. Oil Cake.

Oil cake, \$25.25 per ton; oil meal, \$25.25. Produce, Fruits and Vegetables. Kale-\$1.25 per brl.

Spinach-\$1.50 per brl. Cranberries-Jersey, boxes, \$3.50; per brl. Apples-\$5.50@6.50 per brl.

Florida Cabbage-\$1.75@2; Mobile, \$2@2.25 per crate. Sweet Potatoes—Cobden, \$3.75. Florida Cabbage—\$1.50@2; Mobile, \$1.75@2. Florida Oranges-\$3.50@4.50 per box, according to size and quality; California navel, \$2.75@3.25 per box; seedlings, per box, Florida Pineapples-Medium, \$1 per doz: extra size, \$1.50 Bananas-\$1.25@1.75 per bunch, according to size and quality Cheese-New York full cream, 12@14c; Cider-Duffy brand, 32-gal brl, \$5; 16-gal brl. \$3.

Potatoes-\$2.75 per brl; from car, 85c per bu; from store, 90c per bu; seed pota-toes, Early Rose, \$1 per bu. Cucumbers-\$1 per doz. New Tomatoes-\$1.50@2.50 per case, accord-Strawberries-\$25@50c; Alabama stock, \$5@ 5.50 per crate of 24 quarts. Maple Molasses-90c@31 per gal New Potatoes-Bermudas, \$5.50@6 per brl;

second growth, \$3.75014 per brl.

Onlons-New Bermudas, \$2.75@3 per bu

Provisions. Bacon-Clear sides, 40 to 50 lbs average, 814c; 30 to 40 lbs average, 84c; 20 to 30 lbs average, 9c; bellies, 25 lbs average, 84c; 14 to 16 lbs average, 8409c; 12 to 15 lbs average, 914c: clear backs, 20 to 25 lbs 

101/2011c; 15 lbs average, 111/2011/2c; 121/2 lbs average, 111/2012c; 10 lbs average, 111/20124c; block hams, 11c; all first brands; seconds 1/2 le less.

California hams, sugar cured, 10 to 12 lbs average, 814@8%c. Boneless hams, sugar-cured, 9@10c. Pickled Pork-Bean pork, clear, per brl, 200 lbs, \$16@17; rump pork, \$14@14.50. Breakfast Bacon-Clear firsts, 12@1214c: seconds, 10%@11c. Lard-Kettle-rendered, in tierces, 9@9%c; pure lard, 81/2014c; cotton-oleo, 61/4c.

Clover-Choice recleaned, 60-1b, \$6.25@6.50; prime, \$6@6.25; English, choice, \$6.25; prime, \$6.25@6.50; Alsike, choice, \$8.25@8.75; Alfalfa, choice, \$5.25@5.55. Timothy, 45-lb bu, choice, \$2@2.15; strictly prime, \$2@2.10. Bluegrass-Fancy, 14-lb bu, \$1.15@1.20; extra clean, 85@ 90c. Orchard grass-Extra, \$1.65@1.75. Red top-Choice, 55/965c; extra clean, 38/940c. English bluegrass, 24-lb bu, 32.75/92.85.

#### Best brand charcoal tin IC, 10x14, 14x20, 12x12, \$6.75@7; IX, 10x14, 14x20, 12x12, \$8.50@ 14x20, roofing tin. \$5.75@6; IC. 20x28, \$11.50@12; block tin, in pigs, 25e; in bars, 27e.

Tinners' Supplies.

Iron-27 B iron, 3c; C iron, 4c; galvanized

per cent. discount. Sheet zinc, 51496c.

Copper bottoms, 20c. Planished copper, 24c.

#### REAL-ESTATE TRANSFERS. Ten Transfers Yesterday, with a Total

Solder, 150/16c.

Consideration of \$13,935. Instruments filed for record in the recorder's office of Marion county, Indiana, for the twenty-four hours ending at 5 p. m., April 27, 1894, as furnished by Theo. Stein, abstracter of titles, Hartford Block, No. 88 East Market street.

William J. Geisel to Neil Dugan, lot 8 in Tutewiler's subdivision of Davidson's addition..... Charles B. Rockwood to Harriet M. Wilson, lets 5, 6, 7 and 8 in Houston's subdivision of May, Wasson & Co.'s Highland Park addition..... 4,000 Addison Bybee et al. to Seth S. Griffith et al., trustees, part of lots 48 and 49 in Bybee & Pratt's first Fletcher's Oak Hill addition ...... James A. Freeland to August Huber and wife, lot 26 in N. is. Seminary addition to West Indianapolis...... 1,350

Sarah M. Wetzel to Constance E. Chamberlin, lot 42 in Downey & Irwin's subdivision to Hutching & Darnell's Brookside addition......... William L. Paport to Mary C. Smith, lot 293 and part of lot 294 in Ogle's East Park addition. Elizabeth C. Hough to Fred Goetz, lot 22 in Willard Place..... Orlando A. Hand to Exhraim Michael and wife, southeast quarter of northwest quarter of section 17, township 17. range 3.....

Same to same, part of west half of southwest quarter of section 17. township 17, range 3, and part of east half of southeast quarter of section 18, township 17, range 3.....

#### Transfers, 10; consideration......\$13,935 HOW SHE VOTED.

A Resident of Wyoming Tells New York Ladies Her Experience.

New York Times. In a parior up town the other afternoon a group of women were assembled and the talk ran, as the talk will run these days, on the question of political equality. "How odd it will seem to vote," one, "if we get a chance. I'm sure I shall be as green as possible." "You'll get used to it," replied another. 'I did," at which there was a shower of exclamations, "Why, of course," "Helen's lived there." "And voted, too." "Tell us all about it." "How did you feel?"-down came the patter of comments and questions till the bewildered Helen put up her hand in dismay. "Wait a moment," she said imploringly,

and I'll tell all there is to tell. I lived in Wyoming three years, out in a frontier town, counting five hundred whites for inhabitants and surrounded by 2,500 Indians, Shoshones on one side and Arapahoes on the other. It was the deadly enmity between the two that gave us safety, and you may think there was enough for us women to concern ourselves about besides voting in that remote and isolated spot. I had, and made no attempt to cast a vote on the first election day on which I had the right. "On the morning of the day several gentlemen called at my house, always in a carriage, asking me to drive to the polls, out I declined all, saying I was a New Yorker, not used to it and would rather not. They all accepted my refusal and went away without further insistence. About the middle of the forenoon, however, a lady drove up. She came in with a cordial, not-to-be-put-down manner. What's this, Mrs. R., that I hear about you? Is it true that you have not yet

"'Yes,' I replied. "'In that case,' she went on, laying aside her wrap and untying her bonnet strings, 'I have come to stay until you do.' There was an air of infinite patience about my visitor, and as I had no good reason for not voting, merely a disinclination, I gave in at once and accompanied her to the polls. "Yes," as the voices rained questions again, "it did seem odd, and I needed instructions at every point about the manner of depositing my vote. I made my own choice of candidates, though, and med my ticket in a way that was truly mugwumpish. The next year I voted with much more ease and confidence, and the third year I put in a vote for Mr. Harrison with the nonchalance of an old politician."

### bu; barley, 11,000 bu. DATE OF THE EXODUS.

It Would Seem to Lie Somewhere Between 1430 and 1300 B. C. Scribner's Magazine.

Although the monuments and papyri give us no direct information upon the subject of the exodus, they do indirectly indicate a certain period within which it must have per bu; medium hand-picked, \$1.90@2; eighteenth), which finally drove the Hpksos invaders out of Egypt and reunited whole country under one scepter, extended his conquests as far as Mesopotamia, overrunning Palestine on his way. He left lists of the conquered nations, but does not mention the Israelites among them. Rameses II, of the nineteenth dynasty, who reigned about two hundred years later, also subdued Palestine and left lists of the people conquered, but he, again, does not mention the Israelites among them. What is, perhaps, still more important, is that, while the Israelites have left records of invasions by Mesopotamians, Moabites, Canaanites, Midianites and Philistines, they do not mention any invasion by the Egyptians, and the conclusion is that the Israelites were not settled on the. west side of Jordan till after the wars waged by Rameses II at the commencement of his reign, which began not earlier than 1388 B. C., or, as some now say, 1266 B. C. It has been attempted to explain this difficulty away by suggesting that Rameses II kept close to the seacoast on his march through Palestine and did not strike inland till he was some distance to the north of the Israelltes, but it is inconceivable that he should not have secured his long line of communications by establishing posts so far inland that they must have been brought into contact with the Hebrews if the latter had at that time been settled in their own country. The earliest date, therefore, at which the Egyptian history will permit the exodus to have taken place, even when full allowance is made for the time spent by the Jews in the wilderness and in conquering Palestine, would seem to be about 1420 B. while, if the shorter chronology be adopted, it could not have been much earlier than 1300 B. C.

> POTENT LEADVILLE WHISKY. A Town Where a Small Whisk Broom Accompanies Each Drink.

As three men were standing in front of the bar of a Smithfield-street saloon yesterday one picked up the glass of whisky that was placed before him, and, tasting it, made a face that looked as if he had taken poison. "My, but that's rank stuff," said he as he put down his glass and wiped off his mouth with his handkerchief. "That's almost as bad as the whisky we got out West during the great gold and silver excitement. I remember in Leadville there was a wag kept a saloon who did not try to disguise the quality of the liquor that passed over his bar, but rather made careful preparations for the effects that he knew it would cause. It is said that a tenderfoot once came in and asked for a whisky. He was passed a bottle and a glass. Then, to his surprise, the bartender placed a small whisk broom by the side of the bottle. Of course he was puzzled, but he poured out his drink and drank it slowly, unwilling to profess ignorance in the ways of the wild West and thinking that some person might come to his rescue. The opened and he saw the man who saved him. A big, burly fellow, bristling with revolvers and bowle knives, stepped in the door, and, going up to the bar, ordered whisky in a voice that seemed to come from somewhere below the cellar. A as before, a whisk broom was added to the layout. Then tenderfoot watched the man carefully. He poured out a goodsized glassful, then, after gulping it down, quietly picked up the whisk broom, and,

## GOOD WEATHER HURT

May Wheat Opened at a Decline and Never Recovered.

Corn Was Down, Oats Held Steady and Provisions Were Depressed by Heavy Sales.

CHICAGO, April 27 .- The wheat market to-day suffered from the favorable weather here and reports of showers in California. Opening at about yesterday's closing figures, May broke ise and July %c, but those figures were reduced to 1/2c for May and 1/4 Wac for July at the close. The lower prices attracted foreign buyers, who took liberal purchases both here and in New York. Corn was weak and lower, owing to the extremely favorable weather. Oats ruled quiet. Provisions were depressed by

Weak cables, labor troubles and the reported engagement of gold for shipment to-morrow with rain in California pressed the wheat market downward, though slowly at first. A large proportion of the transactions were in the way of transferring May contracts into July at 1%c spread. Pardridge had a lot of that kind of business to do, and commission houses generally had more or less of it. The export clearances from the Atlantic ports were liberal, amounting from the four principal Atlantic cities to 500,000 bushels in wheat and flour. That item of encouragement had very little effect. A sale of 95,000 bushels of No. 2 spring wheat was made here at 1c over May prices, and 15,000 bushels at %c over May. That gave some firmness to the market at the close, which was at 584c for May and 60%@604c for July. Corn opened weak and so remained. Compared with yesterday's closing prices, May started at about 4c and July 40%c decline. Before 12 o'clock May had declined to 381/4c and July to 391/4@391/4c. The amount of business was small. Prospects for planting were fair and some reports were recelved of planted corn showing above ground in good shape. Oats started quiet with prices off a shade from yesterday's last quotations, and continued easy during the greater part of the session. The weakness in wheat and corn was probably the principal cause of the decline, although heavy receipts with a limited demand resulted in a heavy feeling in the cash market, which also extended to the speculative crowd. There seemed to be a few more May oats for sale to-day. Kennett-Hopkins were said to have disposed of quite a fair amount. The buying was scattered. The close showed May selling at the highest price of the day, 33%c, or 1/201/4c under yesterday's close. The provision market opened fairly steady, but became very weak during the session. First prices were at or about the same as yesterday's closing quotations, but in the end pork was 1012@20c lower, lard .10c lower and ribs were off from .10@.15c. Receipts of hogs were 18,000, and the prices were quoted 5c higher. The feature of the day's business was the re-selling by the them yesterday.

Cudahy Packing Company and by John Cudahy & Co. of short stuff cornered by Estimated receipts for Saturday are: Wheat, 105 cars; corn 250 cars; oats, 285 cars; hogs, 13 000. A fair business was done by the lake agents, who quoted to Buffalo at 1½@1%c for wheat and 1½@1%c for corn. Wheat to Kingston was 3c and corn to Port Huron 14c. The leading futures ranged as follows: Open- High- Low- Clos-Articles.

est. est. Wheat-April .. May .... Corn-April .... \*\*\*\* .... \*\*\*\*\* June .... 29% \*\*\*\*\* \*\*\*\*\* Pork-May ....\$12.65 \$12.65 \$12.40 July ..... 12.80 12.821/2 12.60 Lard—April ... 7.70

July ... 7.271/2

Sept ... 7.271/2

Ribs—May ... 6.721/2

July ... 6.571/2

Sept ... 6.471/2 6.721/2 Sept .... 6.471/2 6.471/2 6.421/2 6.471/2 Cash quotations were as follows: Flour distillers' finished goods, per gal, \$1.15.

dull but steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 58c No. 3 spring wheat, 52@53c; No. 2 red, 58c No. 2 corn, 38@38¼c; No. 2 oats, 35‰c; No. 2 white, 34¾@35½c; No. 3 white, 34½@35c; No. 2 rye, 47c; No. 2 barley nominal; No. 3. 53¾@53½c; No. 4 nominal; No. 1 naxseed, \$1.23½; prime timothy seed, \$4.25@4.30; mess pork, per brl, \$12.47@12.52½; lard, per lb, 7.60@7.65c; short-rib sides (loose), 6.65@6.70c; dry. selted shoulders (boxed) dry-salted shoulders (boxed), 6@6.25c; short-clear sides (boxed), 6.87 2 @7.12 2; whisky, On the Produce Exchange, to-day, the butter market was quiet and lower; creameries, 12@18c; datries, 9@16c. Eggs firm at Receipts-Wheat, 18,000 bu; corn, 136,000 bu; oats, 329,000 bu; rye, 3,000 bu; barley, 7,000 bu. Shipments—Wheat, 221,000 bu; corp, 447,000 bu; oats, 116,000 bu; rye, 4,000

## AT NEW YORK.

Ruling Prices in Produce at the Seaboard's Commercial Metropolis. NEW YORK, April 27 .- Flour-Receipts, 19,800 brls; exports, 18,800 brls; sales, 8,500 packages. The market continues slow and taken place. Thothmes III, who was the prices are irregular. Spring patents are most powerful king of that dynasty (the | held firm while the trade refuses to raise bids. Rye flour neglected. Buckwheat flour nominal. Buckwheat dull. Corn meal quiet. Rye firm. Barley nominal; No. 2

Milwaukee, 66@67c; two-rowed State, 66c. Barley malt firm. Wheat-Receipts, 122,300 bu; exports, 191,-300 bu; sales, 7,095,000 bu futures. Spots were active and easy. No. 2 red, in store and elevator, 61%c; affoat, 62%c; f. o. b., 62%@ 64c. Options opened lower on rains in Kansas and California and weaker cables, but reacted on small offerings and ruled dull all day except for the good switching business. The close was weak at 40%c net decline. Exporters bought about 400,000 bu cash wheat to-day. No. 2 red April closed at 51%c; May, 61%661%c, closing at 61%c; June, 62c, closing at 621/2c; July, 631/2@ 63 15-16c, closing at 63%c; August, 64%@ 64 15-16c, closing at 64%c; September, 65%@ 66 1-16c, closing at 65%c; December, 69%@ 69%c, closing at 69%c.

Corn-Receipts, 14,600 bu; exports, 135,700 bu; sales, 390,000 bu futures, 96,000 bu spot. Spots were easy; No. 2, 44c in elevator, 45c affoat; yellow, 45c in elevator; steamer mixed, 44%c. Options generally weak on fine weather West and liberal selling, but reacted late in the day, closing about steady at 4c net decline. April closed at 44c; May, 44@44%c, closing at 44%c; June closed at 45c; July, 44%@451-16c, closing at 45c; September, 45%@46c, closing at 46c. Oats-Receipts, 44,200 bu; exports, 100 bu; sales, 90,000 bu futures, 24,000 bu spot. Spots were firm; No. 2, 41c; No. 2 delivered, 47c; No. 3, 40c; No. 2 white, 42c; No. 3 white, 41c; track mixed Western, 401/2010%c; track white Western, 45@46c; track white State, 40@46c. Options were strong again on the squeeze. April closed at 1/2c up and the others 140%c off. April closed at 401c; May closed at 374c; July, 36@364c, closing Hay quiet but firm. Hops quiet. Hides Leather slow. Beef quiet. Cut meats dull; pickled shoulders, 618964c; pickled hams, 10c. Lard

lower; Western steam closed at 8c; April closed at 8c nominal; May, 8c nominal; July, 7.50c nominal; refined lower; continent, 8.30c; S. A., 8.65c. Pork was steady. Cotton seed oil quiet with prices fairly well maintained; prime crude, barrels, 30c. prime crude, loose, 23@24c; off crude, 27@28c; butter grades, 35@36c; prime summer yellow, 33c; off summer yellow, 31@32c; prime summer white, 36@37c. Butter was dull; Western dairy, 10@14c; Western creamery, 15@201/2c; Western factory, 10@13c; Elgins, 201/2c; imitation creamery, 12@16c; State dairy, 15@19c; State

creamery, 19672014c

small, 9\2011e; part skims, 3\209e; full skims, 203e. Eggs weaker; receipts, 5,229 packages; State and Pennsylvania, 11% @12c; Western fresh, 11/2114c; Southern, 19/2104c. Tallow firm; city (\$2 for packages), bottle and glass were passed to him, and, | 5 1-16c; country (packages free), 5 3-16c as to Coffee-Options opened firm and sharply advanced on European buying in consequence of small foreign supplies, closing firm at 10@25 points net decline; sales, 34,-

Cheese-New firm; State large, 91/2011c;

none; warehouse deliveries yesterday, 13,-564 bags; New York stock to-day, 226,535 bags; United States stock, 273,527 bags; afloat for the United States, 200,000 bags; total visible for the United States, 473,527 bags, against last year 451,421 bags.
Sugar—Raw steady; centrifugal, 96 test,
2%c; sales, 13,300 bags centrifugal, 96 test,
at 2%c; 1,100 bags molasses sugar at 2 1-16c. Refined dull and barely steady.

## TRADE IN GENERAL.

Quotations at St. Louis, Philadelphia,

Baltimore and Other Points. PHILADELPHIA, April 27.-Flour-Market dull and prices were weak. Wheat-The market was weak in sympathy with the decline in the West, and prices closed 140 lower. Cables were easier and export demand light. May, 60%c; June, 61% 61%c; July, 62% 62%c; No. 2 Pennsylvania red, 62c; No. 2 Delaware red, 62c; No. 2 red, 60%c; steamer No. 2 red, 59%c; No. 3 red, 58%c. Corn-The option market was weak and declined \%2%c under a light foreign demand and bearish speculation in the West; No. 2 mixed April, 43%@43%c; May, 43%@43%c; June, 43%@44c; July, 44@44%c. Oats—The market for car lots declined 1/2c under increased pressure to sell, but the demand was more active at the revised prices, and the close was steady; futures were dull and without important changes; No. 2 white, April, 40%c; May, 40%c; June, 40% 40%c; July, 40%40%c. Hay unchanged. Butter—Fine goods firm; medium grades dull; fancy Western creamery, 21c; Pennsylvania, prints, 23c; Pennsylvania jobbing, 24@27c. Eggs were firm, with a fair demand; fresh. nearby, 12c; fresh, Western, 12c; fresh, Southern, 11c. Cheese unchanged. Sugars unchanged. Tallow steady and quiet; prime city, 4%c; country, 4%24%c. Live poultry weaker; dressed poultry quiet. Receipts-Flour, 3,000 brls, 5,000 sacks; wheat, 1,200 bu; corn, 60,000 bu; oats, 7,000 bu. Shipments -Wheat, 35,300 bu; corn, 15,000 bu; oats,

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 27.-Flour-Demand moderate and prices unchanged. Wheat stagnant and easy, off 1/401/4c, this on improved crop conditions. No. 2 red, cash, 531/4e; May, 533/4e; July, 56e; August, 57%c. Corn weak on crop improvement, losing %c; No. 2 mixed, cash, 37%c; May, 36%c; July, 36%@36%c; September, 38%c. Oats easier; No. 2 cash, 33%c; May, 33c; July, 27%@27%c. Rye—No. 2 offered on call at 54c. Barley-No trading. Bran weaker; east track, sacked, 63c. Flaxseed nominally \$1.20. Clover and timothy unchanged. Hay better, but not quotably changed. Butter and eggs weaker without quotable change. Corn meal, \$1.95@2. Whisky, \$1.08 61.15. Cotton ties and bagging unchanged. Provisions weaker and very dull. Pork-Standard mess, \$13. Lard-Prime steam, 7.40c; choice, 7.60c. Dry-salted meats— Loose shoulders, 6.12½c; longs and ribs, 6.70c; shorts, 6.85c. Bacon—Packed shoulders -; longs, 7.50e; ribs, 7.50@7.621/2; shorts, 7.621/2@7.75c. Receipts - Flour, 5,000 brls; wheat, 10,000 bu; corn, 90,000 bu; oats, 23,-000 bu. Shipments-Flour, 7,000 brls; wheat, 78,000 bu; corn, 104,000 bu; oats, 8,000 bu. MINNEAPOLIS, April 27.-The wheat

market opened easy and declined steadily until the prices were about 1/2c lower than the close of yesterday. The decline was nearly the same in all months. Closing prices: April and May, 601/2c; July, 61@611/8c; September, 59%c; on track, No. 1 hard, 63%c; No. 1 Northern, 62%c; No. 2 Northern, 60%c. Receipts were 99,000 bu; ship-ments, 19,000 bu. The milling consumption was about 130,000 bu, making a probable decrease of stocks in store in this city of 50,000 bu for the twenty-four hours. Great Northern sold a large amount of wheat lying in country side tracks that will come in as soon as the present strike is settled, which may be in a few days or so. Flour was easy and was quoted at \$3.35@3.55 for patents and \$2@2.35 for bakers. The probable output for the twenty-four hours was

BALTIMORE, April 27.-Flour dull. Recelpts, 33,479 brls; shipments, 29,024 brls. Wheat easy; spot, 61\2661\26; July, 62\2666 \ 8,099 bu; shipments, 8,000 bu; stock, 678,789 bu; sales, 38,000 bu; milling wheat, by sample, 59@62c. Corn dull and easy; spot, 441/2 @44%c; May, 44@44%c; July, 44%c btd; steamer mixed, 43@43%c. Receipts, 9,941 bu; shipments, 16,091 bu; stock, 330,811 bu; sales, 47,000 bu; Southern corn, by sample, 45@46c; Southern corn, on grade, 45@4512c. Oats active and higher; No. 2 white Western, 42\2@43c; No. 2 mixed Western, 38@38\6c; stock, 63,633 bu. Rye dull. Stock, 16,781 bu. Hay steady; good to choice timothy, \$14.50 @15. Grain freights dull. Sugar steady. Butter steady; fancy creamery, 21@22c fancy imitation, 17@18c; fancy ladle, 15@16c good ladle, 13@14c; store packed, 9@10c. Eggs steady; fresh 10½c. Cheese steady. TOLEDO. April 27.—Wheat lower; No. 2 cash, April and May, 57%c; July, 60%c; August, 61%c. Corn dull and steady; No. 2 sh, 39½c; May, 38½c; No. 2 ellow, 40½c. Oats quiet; No. mixed, 34c; No. 2 white, 36c. Rye dull; cash, 50c. Clover seed steady; prime cash and April, \$5.60; No. 2 Alsike, \$6.75. Receipts-Flour, 5,600 brls; wheat, 16,500 bu; corn, 34,000 bu; clover seed, 11 bags. Ship-ments-Flour, 8,000 brls; wheat, 2,000 bu; corn, 9,500 bu; oats, 1,500 bu; rye, 1,500 bu; clover seed, 243 bags.

CINCINNATI, April 27.—Flour dull. Wheat quiet; No. 2 red, 56½c. Receipts, 5,200 bu; shipments, 3,300 bu. Corn firm; No. 2 mixed, 42c. Oats in fair demand; No. 2 mixed, 36½c. Rye dull; No. 2, 54c. Pork nominal at \$12.87½. Lard quiet at 7.45c. Bulk meats easier at 6.75@6.80c. Bacon quiet at 8c. Whisky quiet; sales, 591 brls at \$1.15. Butter in fair demand. Sugar dull. Eggs firm. Cheese firm.

WILMINGTON, April 27. - Rosin dull; strained, 82½c; good strained, 87½c. Spirits of turpentine dull at 27c. Tar steady at 90c. Turpentine firm; hard, \$1; soft, \$1.60; vir-OIL CITY, April 27.-National Transit certificates opened at 85c; highest, 854c lowest, 85c; closed at 85c; sales, 3,000 brls shipments, 179,453 brls; runs, 87,265 brls. NEW YORK, April 27.—Petroleum steady: United closed at 85c bid. Rosin steady. Turpentine steady at 30c.

PITTSBURG, April 27.-National Transit certificates opened at 85c; closed at 85c; highest, 85c; lowest, 85c. SAVANNAH, April 27 .- Spirits of turpentine firm at 261/2c; sales, 700 bris. Rosin

Dry Goods. NEW YORK, April 27.-The consensus of opinion after the sale of 2,000 packages of blankets is that the results are much more satisfactory than thought during the sale. It is admitted that some goods went very low, yet the average of the sales is wel and much better than either that preceded The amount of the sale exceeds \$400,000. The result upon the market is already apparent in a better tone, which buyers are not slow to remark. With the sale over, many buyers gave considerable attention to other goods, and some business was done in dress goods and printed fabrics, such as black sateens, with chintz figures and other specialties. As a whole the market was quiet. Printing cloths are easy at 2%@2 11-16c for 64 squares.

Cotton. LIVERPOOL, April 27.—Cotton quiet; free supply of offerings; American mid-dlings, 41-16d. The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export, and included 7,300 bales American. NEW ORLEANS, April 27 .- Cotton quiet;

sales spot, 1,300 bales; to arrive, 600 bales; receipts, 981 bales; exports coastwise, 3,578 bales; stock, 161,211 bales. NEW YORK, April 27.-Cotton closed quiet; sales, 402 bales; middling uplands, 7%c; middling gulf, 7%c. Metals.

NEW YORK, April 27 .- Pig iron quiet. Copper quiet. Lead firm. Tin easier: straits, 19.90c asked; plates quiet. Spelter market firmer; sales on 'Change 15 tons spot tin late yesterday at 19.85c; 15 tons April 30 at 19.75c; 15 tons next week, sellers' option, two days' notice, 19.70c; 25 tons May, 19.674c; 50 tons June, 19.674c; 25 tons September, subject to duty clause, 19.70c. Reported 500 to 600 tons spelter last night, May, June and July delivery, about 3.55c. ST. LOUIS, April 27.-Lead steadier at 3.17%c; spelter, 3.38c asked.

NEW YORK, April 27 .- Wool steady; domestic fleece, 19@25c; pulled, 20@28c. LIVE STOCK.

Wool.

Cattle Scarce and Slow-Hogs Active and Steady-Sheep Stronger. INDIANAPOLIS, April 27 .- Cattle-Receipts, 400; shipments, 200. There was a light supply for Friday and but few fine grades on sale. The market was a little slow, with no material change in prices. All sold at the close. Good to choice shippers.....\$3.65@4.00 Exports, heavy weights..... 4.00@4.40 Fair to medium shippers..... 3.35%3.60 Common shippers ...... 2.75/93.15 Feeders, 900 to 1,100 lbs...... 3.10@3.40 Stockers, 500 to 800 fbs..... 2.50(3.09 Good to choice helfers..... 2.0003.35

Fair to medium heifers..... 2.60@2.85 Common thin helfers..... 2.00@2.40 Good to choice cows...... 2.75@3.25 Fair to medium cows...... 2.25@2.60 Common old cows...... 1.00@2.00 Bulls, common to medium..... 1.75/12.25 Bulls, good to choice..... 2.50@3.00 Milkers, good to choice......30.000740.00 Milkers, common to medium.....15.00@25 9 Hogs-Receipts, 3,200; shipments, 2,000.

Sheep and Lambs-Receipts, 200. But few on sale. The market was stronger. Good to choice sheep and yearlings. \$3.25@4.00 Fair to medium sheep and yearlings 2.65@3.00 Common thin sheep and yearlings. 2.00@2.50 Bucks, per head. 2.00@4.00 Spring lambs, 30 to 50 lbs...... 3.50@4.50

NEW YORK, April 27.—Beeves—Receipts, 1,784; on sale, 38 cars. The market | Bradstreet Has Forest | Bradstreet | Bradstree Elsewhere. was active and steady. Native steers, choice, \$4.60@4.70; prime, \$4.40@4.47½; fair to good, \$4.20@4.35; ordinary to medium, \$4.50@4.75; good cotton - seed - oil - fed Texans, \$3.80@3.87½; oxen, \$3.40@4.75; bulls, \$2.60@3.10; dry cows, \$1.60@4.75; bulls, \$2.60@3.10; dry cows, \$1.60@5.3.40. European cables quote American steers at 104.00114c per pound dressed steers at 101/2011/20 per pound dressed weight; refrigerator beef, 8090 per pound. Exports to-day, 320 beeves; to-morrow, 700 beeves and 4.465 quarters of beef. Calves-Receipts, 508; on sale, 600. The market was weak. Veals, poor to good,

Sheep and Lambs-Receipts, 7,347; on sale, 19 cars. Sheep lower; lambs barely steady. Unshorn sneep, poor to cloice, \$3.50@4.87½; unshorn lambs, inferior to choice, \$5.50@6; fair clipped lambs, \$4.50; very common clipped sheep, \$2.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,653; on sale, 2 cars. The market was steady. Fairish, \$5.40@5.50. EAST LIBERTY, April 27.—Cattle—Receipts light. The market was steady at unchanged prices. Prime, \$4.25@4.50; good, \$3.80@4; good butchers, \$3.50@3.90; rough fat, \$2.90@3.10; good fat cows and heifers, \$2.30 @3; bulls and stags, \$2@3; veal calves,

Hogs-Receipts light. The market ruled active at a shade better prices. No extra prime Philadelphias here. Best Philadelphias, \$5.50@5.55; best Yorkers, \$5.45@5.50; common to fair Yorkers, \$5.35@5.40; plgs, Sneep-The supply was fair. Extra, \$4@ 4.20; good, \$3.50@3.70; fair, \$2.50@3.10; common, 50c@\$1.50; clipped lambs, \$3@5; opring

lambs, \$405. CHICAGO, April 27 .- The Evening Journal reports: Cattle-Receipts, 8,000; shipments, 4,000; market slow and 10@15c lower; many carried over; prime to extra native steers, \$4.25@4.50; medium, \$4@4.10; others,

3.75@3.85; no Texans on sale. Hogs-Receipts, 18,000; no shipments; market active and a trifle higher; rough heavy, \$4@4.75; packers and mixed, \$5.20@5.25; prime heavy and butcher weights, \$5.25@5.35; assorted light, \$5.20@5.30.

Sheep and Lambs-Receipts, 8,000; shipments, 1,600; market active and strong on sheep; top sheep, \$4.50@4.85; top lambs, \$4.75

ST. LOUIS, April 27.-Cattle-Receipts, 1,-000; shipments, 400; market steady for natives, 10c lower for Texans; good native butcher steers, \$4.20; fair to medium, \$3.85@ 3.95; light, \$3.35; cows, \$3.50; calves, fair to good, \$4@4.75; Texas steers, \$3.30@3.40. Hogs-Receipts, 3,700; shipments, 2,600 market opened strong and 5c higher, but eased off 5c during the session; good heavy and fight, \$5.25@5.35; fair to medium, \$5.10@ 5.20; pigs, rough and common, 34.65@4.90.

Sheep-Receipts, 100; shipments, 400; market steady; spring lambs, 34.30; native wool sheep, \$3.60@3.75; clipped, \$3.60. LOUISVILLE, April 27 .- Cattle-The mar-

ket was strong. Extra shipping, \$3.75@4; light shipping, \$3@3.50; best butchers, \$3.40@ 3.75; fair to good butchers, \$2.50@3.15. Hogs-The market was steady. Choice packing and butchers', \$5.20@5.25; fair to good packing, \$5.15@5.20; good to extra light, \$5.15@5.25; roughs, \$4.60@4.85.

Sheep and lambs—The market was firm on good and very dull on common qualities. Good to extra shipping sheep, \$3@3.25; fair to good, \$2.75@3; extra lambs, spring, \$5.50@6; fair to good, spring, \$5@5.50. BUFFALO, April 27.—Cattle-Receipts, carloads. The market was steady. Ex

ports, \$4.40@4.60; shipping steers, \$3.75@4.75; light butchers, \$3.25@3.60; fat cows, \$3@3.40. Hogs-Receipts, 30 cars. The market was active to strong and 5c higher. Prime heavy, \$5.60@5.65; Yorkers, \$5.50@5.55; stags and roughs, \$3.50@5; all sold. Sheep-Receipts, 30 cars fresh, 15 left over, The market was dull and 15c lower. Clipped stock selling very low; heavy lambs and sheep neglected; much unsold. KANSAS CITY, April 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 8,500; shipments, 1,000; market 5@15c ower; Texas steers, \$3.25@3.80; Texas cows, \$2@3.25; shipping steers, \$3.40@4.45; native cows, \$1.40@3.05; stockers and feeders, \$3.15@ 3.90; bulls, \$2.05@3.15.

Hogs-Receipts, 10,000; shipments, 3,000; market steady; bulk, \$5@5.10; heavies, packers and mixed, \$4.95@5.15; light Yorkers and pigs, \$4.85@5.15. Sheep-Receipts, 3,200; shipments, 1,200; market steady. CINCINNATI, April 27.-Hogs-Receipts. 1,800; shipments, 1,100. Cattle-The market was strong at \$2.256 4.25. Receipts, 300; shipments, 100. Sheep-The market was steady at \$1.75% 4.25. Receipts, 1,800; shipments, 1,100. Lambs in fair demand and steady at \$2@4.25

Indianapolis Horse and Mule Market. Heavy draft, good to extra.....\$65@100 Drivers, good to extra..... 80@125 Saddlers, good to extra..... Southern horses and mares...... 35@ 60

spring lambs, \$6@7.

Extra style and action bring better prices. 14½ hands, extra, 4 to 7 years old.... 40@ 15 hands, extra, 4 to 7 years old..... 65@ 15 hands, good, 4 to 7 years old...... 51/2 hands, extra, 4 to 7 years old.... 90@100

#### CHARLEY ROSS'S BROTHER. His Marriage Brings the Old-Time Tragedy to Memory.

15½ hands, good, 4 to 7 years old..... 65@ 90 16 to 16½ hands, good to extra, 4 to

New York Mail and Express. Walter Ross, of Philadelphia, was married yesterday, and to the older residents of that city the event brings up that ex-traordinary story of abduction, twenty years ago, when Charley Ross was taken away and never seen again. No kidnaping in fifty years excited such world-wide in-terest. Walter Ross, the bridegroom of yes-terday, was a toddler in kilts in 1874. The abductors took him and his brother in a carriage for about half a mile. Then Walter was permitted to go, and Charley was carried off. Christian K. Ross, the father of the boys, spent the next ten years of his life in searching for his lost child. He traveled more than thirty thousand miles, and saw hundreds of boys who were supposed or claimed to be the lost one. These trips became so exhausting and disappointing that he was obliged to formulate and have printed a certain set of questions, which he sent to persons who said they had the missing boy. If the answers were such that there was the shadow of a hope Mr. Ross would make a visit. This sort of thing kept up until five years ago. If Charley Ross were living to-day he would be twenty-four years old, but the probability of his being alive is not one in ten thousand. When Mosher and Douglas, the burglars, were wounded to death a few years ago the secret of the great mystery was lost. There is little doubt that if they were not the actual abductors they knew all about the crime. Mosher wanted to confess before he died, but he was too far gone and died before he could speak. There is

but one logical conclusion to reach as to the fate of Charley Ross. The whole coun-try was in hue and cry after the abductors. They were in fear of detection and capture and the boy was a constant menace to their safety. A dissipated woman companion of "Bill" Mosher said on her deathbed in the Philadelphia almshouse, about five years ago: "There's no use looking any further for Charley Ross. He's been at the bottom of the Hudson river these fours years, and Mosher knows it. All you do now is to look out that they don't spring a bogus Charley Ross on you." The confession was not regarded seriously at the time. It was thought to be the wandering of a mind fast approaching dissolution. Perhaps it was. There is not a man, woman or child living to-day who can corroborate it or deny it.

Odds and Ends.

A new, soft paint brush is a good thing to dust carved furniture with, as the bristles will penetrate the deepest crevices. It is best to remove the loose dirt from papered walls with a brush, afterward wiping with a soft cloth, being particular always to rub in the same direction and o miss no part. Spots can be removed by rubbing them with a piece of stale bread. The addition of a new frieze or border will sometimes have a most freshening effect.

A beeksteak cut an inch thick will be cooked rare in ten minutes. A mutton chop cut three-fourths of an inch thick will cook in eight minutes. Veal and pork must be brofied slowly and for a long time. There should not be a trace of pink in the fibers when the meat is done. The chops should not be cut more than half an inch thick. They will be well done with twelve minutes' cooking.

A new use has been found for potatoes. Paint can be made with them in the folowing manner: A pound of potatoes is boiled in water and afterwards mashed; then, being diluted with water, they are passed through a fine sieve, two pounds of Spanish white and two pounds of water being added. A milk-white color results. Various other colors can be obtained by the use of ochres and minerals. The advantages of the paint are cheapness and durability, as it adheres well to wood or plas-ter, and does not peel.

A Wild Guess.

Jupiter-Of the women of your acquaintance who have married, which are the hap-

## TIMES GETTING WORSE

Strikes and the Coxey Movement Overshadow Everything.

from Only Two Cities.

NEW YORK, April 27.-R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade, issued today, says: When accounts of great strikes and labor disturbances crowd all newspapers it is idle to look for much improvement in business. That every week of idleness for so many men must appreciably lessen the aggregate power to purchase product of labor is evident, but in spite of all some improvement still appears. Several large auction sales of textile goods have disturbed markets and brought remarkably low prices. For flannels they are about 25 per cent. below the previous quotations and 15 per cent. below the previous sales. Sales of wool at the three chief markets were 5,574,678 pounds, against 3,893,400 last year, and prices of some scarce kinds have advanced 1 cent. New wool is being taken at the lowest figures yet reported. Continual reports of changes in the tariff bill add to difficulties of producers and dealers. Speculative markets are practicing the philosophy of Mr. Micawber and are naturally lower. Western receipts of wheat have been only 1,176,797 bushels, against 2,717,387 bushels for the same week last year. Atlantic exports are 941,958 bushels, against 1,243,530 bushels last year, but the price has dropped 1 cent. Corn is inactive and a shade higher; pork, lard and coffee a shade lower, with continued business depression and new crops drawing near. Even the unlimited supplies of idle money do not kindle speculative hopes. The decrease in liabilities of firms failing still continues, and the aggregate report for the third week in April was only \$2,792,462 and for three weeks of April \$6,988,588, of which \$2,810,194 were of manufacturing and \$3,841,095 of trading concerns, The failures have been very equally divided as to section, the East having the larger number, with liabilities of \$2,277,000, the South \$2,572,000 and the West \$2,138,000. The failures this week have been 180 in the United States, against 216 last year, for the first time in many months showing a decrease, and in Canada twenty-six, against

twenty-two last year. Bradstreet's Review. NEW YORK, April 27 .- Bradstreet's reriew of the state of trade to-morrow will say: The general business situation throughout the United States is less favorable, as shown by reports from more than fifty important distributing centers. A specially depressing influence is the strike of 147,000 bituminous coal and coke operatives in twelve States. Buffalo, Cleveland. Chicago and Duluth are feeling the strike. the effect on vessel interests at these and other lake ports being very discouraging. Duluth ore shipments are delayed for want employes. Only two cities out of thirtyfive reporting in central, Western and Northwestern States report material improvement in general trade this week-Irdianapolis and Kansas City. Even at those points the gain is slight. Activity in stocks is checked by the labor disturbances and the delay in reaching a conclusion on the new tariff bill. Professional operators incline to depress the railroad share list by means of short sales. The market, however, is narrower, subject to reaction Industrial stocks, however, are strong, as the large short interest in Chicago sustains that stock in the face of adv legal proceedings. The bond mark quiet but firm. Foreign exchange is but on Friday \$1,200,000 in gold gaged for export to France. speculative rise on a rumor

mints would reopen, but the bars has receded to 641/26 feature at Chicago is in sai equaling the average of previous weeks other lines not making so favorable report. St. Louis reports its general business situation fair, although characterizing the demand as of the hand-to-mouth variety. The decrease in demand from jobbers at Omaha and other Nebraska points is attributed to activity of farm work. Trade at St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth, as at other points further West, is very unfavorably affected by the tieup of the Great Northern railroad. Merchants at cities in North Dakota, Montana, Idaho and Washington are carrying reduced stocks, purtraversing that region report a marked falling off in through as well as local ship-There have been 2,727,000 bushels of wheat (flour included) exported from the United States this week, against 3,019,000 bushels last week, 2,507,000 bushels in the week a

year ago, 3,259,000 bushels two years ago and 2,300,000 bushels three years ago. Care of the Young Chicks.

Wisconsin Agriculturist. In feeding young chicks keep in view the fact that they feather very quickly and grow rapidly when young. They do not require any food for the first twenty-four hours. For the first meal it is well to give hard boiled eggs mixed with bread crumbs. This may be fed for the first two days, A good food is made by mixing one pound of corn meal, one-half pound of middlings, one-half pound of ground meat, two ounces of bone meal, a pinch of salt and one teaspoonful of bread soda. Mix with mile or water and bake like bread; crumble and

feed every two hours. When the chicks are ten days old cracked corn, screenings and hay seed should be fed them plentifully, and chopped meat should be given twice a week. Mashed potatoes, chopped cabbage and lettuce may be fed to advantage. Give a variety of food to enable them to feather without being weakened. Fresh water should always be assy access and when convenient given of easy access, and when convenient, give One-half the difficulties in raising are found in lice. This pest causes more trou-ble than all the others combined. When you take the hen and chicks from the nest

dust them well with Persian insect pow-der. Five drops of carbolic acid in a tea-spoonful of lard, well mixed, is an excel-lent remedy for lice. Rub a little of the mixture on the head and throat of each To make flaxseed tea, put a tablespoon-ful of flaxseed into a pitcher and pour over it a quart of boiling water; cover it and set it in a warm place to steep for an hour. Then add the juice of a large lemon and a few strips of the peel cut thin with a sharp knife; sweeten with white sugar to the

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